

City of Long Beach Working Together to Serve

Date:

September 22, 2015

To:

Patrick H. West, City Manager

From:

Stephen Scott, Acting Director of Parks, Recreation and Marine

For:

Mayor and Members of the City Council

Subject:

NAACP Freedom Park Grand Opening

Mayor Robert Garcia, Councilmember Dee Andrews and the Department of Parks, Recreation and Marine would like to invite you and your staff to attend the grand opening ceremony for the "NAACP Freedom Park" located at 2300 Martin Luther King Blvd. The ceremony will be held on Tuesday, September 29, 2015, at 10:00 a.m.

The City purchased the land from the Redevelopment Agency in 2008 and built the project in 2009-2010 with a combination of Open Space Bond and ISTEA (Intermodal Surface Transportation Enhancement Act (Federal) funding. The project is a multi-use concrete trail with lighting and surrounding landscaping, including picnic tables and trash receptacles.

For more information regarding the event, please call Gladys Kaiser, Manager, Community Recreation Services at (562) 570-3150.

We look forward to seeing you at this exciting event.

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Attachment

C: Charles Parkin, City Attorney
Laura Doud, City Auditor
Tom Modica, Assistant City Manager
Arturo Sanchez, Deputy City Manager
Jyl Marden, Assistant to the City Manager
Department Heads

Gladys Kaiser, Manager, Community Recreation Services